Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Oklahoma State University

Address of Requesting Entity: 101 Whitehurst, Stillwater, Oklahoma 74078, USA

Description of Request: I received \$350,000 for Oklahoma State University. Oklahoma State University has formed a public-private partnership for training, education and research in proton therapy for training, education and research in proton therapy for the treatment of cancer. ProCure is currently completing construction of a multi-million dollar proton treatment facility in Oklahoma City, dedicated to the treatment of cancer. The funding for this project will be used for equipment for the facility. This facility will allow access to world-leading technology for patients in the central region of the United States.

## EARMARK DECLARATION

## HON. TOM LATHAM

OF IOWA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, July 24, 2009

Mr. LATHAM. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the new House Republican standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following informa-

Bill Number: H.R. 3293, Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations Act, 2010

Project Name: Bio-Security Level 3 Lab

Amount Provided: \$650,000

Account: Health Resources and Services Administration

Recipient: Iowa State University

Recipient's Street Address: 1750 Beardshear Hall, Ames, IA 50011

Description: In order to contribute to the nation's pressing biosecurity needs, and to develop strategies for safeguarding the nation's animal agriculture and human populations from such highly infectious agents as influenza, Brucella, and West Nile virus, the funding will be used to help lowa State University expand its high security, Bio-Security Level 3 facilities. Iowa State University's College of Veterinary Medicine long has been preeminent in the field of infectious disease research in domestic animals. More recently, in response to public health and national security concerns and in an effort to protect and secure the nation's animal agriculture industry, ISU has focused on research that addresses new and novel strategies to prevent and control foreign animal and zoonotic diseases. Zoonotic diseases are pathogens carried by animals that may be spread to humans, and many modern diseases, including various epidemics, initially were spread this way.

Bill Number: H.R. 3293, Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations Act, 2010

Project Name: Electronic Medical Record System

Amount Provided: \$250,000

Account: Health Resources and Services Administration

Recipient: Madison County Health Care Center

Recipient's Street Address: 300 W. Hutchings, Winterset, IA 50273

Description: The funding will be used to install and implement an electronic medical record program which will improve the quality of health care provided to rural lowans while reducing the potential for medical errors as well as realizing a reduction in costs through eliminating duplicity and paperwork.

Bill Number: H.R. 3293, Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations Act, 2010

Project Name: Health Occupations Training Simulator

Amount Provided: \$165,000

Account: Employment and Training Administration—Training & Employment Services

Recipient: Iowa Valley Community College Recipient's Street Address: 3702 South Center Street, Marshalltown, IA 50158

Description: This funding will purchase Health Occupation Training Simulators which will be used during training activities for current and future Registered Nurses (RN), Licensed Practical Nurses (LPN), Certified Nursing Assistants (CNA), Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT), and other health care practitioners.

Bill Number: H.R. 3293, Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations Act, 2010

Project Name: Improving the Health Status of Rural Iowans through Prevention

Amount Provided: \$200,000

Account: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Recipient: Des Moines University

Recipient's Street Address: 3200 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, IA 50312

Description: This project would continue research involving a preventative health program focused on individuals 55-64 with moderate to high risk of chronic disease as determined by a Health Risk Assessment (HRA). The project is tracking health status and health risk for selected rural residents over the course of three years. Individuals identified by risk levels are participating in health risk prevention intervention programs.

Bill Number: H.R. 3293, Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations Act, 2010

Project Name: INet Electronic Medical Record System for Intensive Care Unit

Amount Provided: \$350,000

Account: Health Resources and Services Administration

Recipient: Mercy Medical Center-North lowa

Recipient's Street Address: 1000 4th Street SW, Mason City, IA 50401

Description: This funding would provide software, equipment and personnel training to implement the first fully automated intensive care unit in Iowa. The current system uses paper records, charts, etc. along with a basic EMR. The new system would utilize an enhanced electronic medical record that would improve monitoring of critical care patients, allow remote monitoring of patients in the Mercy ICU by their physicians in the surrounding communities, and reduce long-term costs associated with duplicate tests and paper-based records.

Bill Number: H.R. 3293, Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations Act, 2010

Project Name: Institute for Novel Vaccine and Anti-Microbial Design (INOVA)

Amount Provided: \$1,000,000

Account: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Recipient: Iowa State University

1750 Recipient's Street Address: Beardshear Hall, Ames, IA 50011

Description: The Novel Vaccine and Anti-Microbial Design (INOVA) will bring together a highly inter-disciplinary team of experienced scientific leaders from Iowa State University, the University of Iowa, and the National Ani-

Disease Center, to groundbreaking discoveries into the molecular design of new classes of immunobiotics and vaccines to reduce the current and expanding national threat associated with infectious dis-

Bill Number: H.R. 3293, Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations Act, 2010

Project Name: Medical Equipment Amount Provided: \$694.000

Account: Health Resources and Services Administration

Recipient: Trinity Regional Medical Center Recipient's Street Address: 802 Kenyon Road, Fort Dodge, IA 50501

Description: The funding would be used to replace the nine-year old, outdated cardiac catheterization lab equipment and provide the highest quality cardiac care to patients in a nine-county primary service area. Northwest central lowa needs a facility with a state-ofthe-art catheterization lab. Patients should not have to (and in some cases, cannot) travel to Des Moines, Mason City or Ames to have access to a new cath lab and the life saving services offered by new equipment. Residents in Fort Dodge, and surrounding communities such as Humboldt and Pocahontas, for example, are in need of the services offered by state of the art cath lab equipment. The new technology will allow integration to a new image acquisition/storage system and will help continue the commitment to provide a comprehensive cardiac catheterization service to patients in Northwest Central Iowa.

## EARMARK DECLARATION

## HON. DAVID DREIER

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, July 24, 2009

Mr. DREIER. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 3293. the Departments of Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year

Requesting Member: Congressman DAVID DREIER

Bill Number: H.R. 3293, the Departments of Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2010

Account: Health Resources and Services Administration—Health Facilities and Services Legal Name and Address of Entity Receiving Earmark: Methodist Hospital of Southern California, located at 300 W. Huntington Drive #207, Arcadia, CA 91007

Description of Request: Provide an earmark of \$750,000 for the implementation of a Computerized Provider Order Entry (CPOE) system. CPOE systems provide for the electronic entry and routing of medication, thereby reducing the number of medication mistakes and increasing patient safety. Approximately \$56,000 will go towards user devices, including Tablet PCS and mobile carts, \$630,000 for pharmacy hardware and software to assist with the Medical Order Entry of the project. The final \$64,000 will go towards a network and wireless assessment to ensure that the response time of the software does not impede the clinicians. This request is consistent with the intended and authorized purpose of